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REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)

Dear Sir or Madam:

Applicant respectfully petitions the Commissioner for Patents to extend the time for response to the Office Action mailed November 28, 2007, for three months from December 28, 2007, to March 28, 2008.

Enclosed is a check for \$1,050.00 for payment of the three-month extension of time fee. Please charge any additional fees to Deposit Account No. 50-1775.

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